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For Sale Cheap—Carload of young horses.

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Premium Peatless Lump Coal delivered \$9.75
 Premium Peatless Lump Coal out of shed \$8.25
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 Banner Lump Coal out of shed \$6.75

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 See our Christmas
 Chocolates
 The Best in Town
 The Lacombe Cafe
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 Edmonton Steam Bread

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Christmas Greetings

Is there a better way to express the Season's Greetings than by giving a gift to a friend or relative some useful Gift? We have them to suit all ages and sexes.

OUR HARDWARE DEPARTMENT OFFERS

Skates Pucks and Hockey Sticks
 Pocket Knives and Razors
 Silverware
 Sleds and Wagons
 Lamps

OUR FURNITURE DEPARTMENT HAS

Easy Chairs Desks
 Bookcases
 Children's Desks and Tables
 Smoking Sets

Remember, a well stocked Hardware Store offers an endless variety, but all are useful.

Morrison & Johnston, Ltd.
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The Old Reliable
 HERO
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 Grader.

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RED DEER, LACOMBE DIDSBURY
 Marble and Granite Monuments
 From \$25.00 up.
 Owing to the scarcity of labor,
 the Lacombe shop will be open
 every Thursday, Friday and
 Saturday until further notice.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS

The wise shoppers are already selecting their Christmas Gifts, so shop early, while our stock is complete, and avoid disappointment.

The following are a few suggestions

FRENCH IVORY—Toilet Cases, Manicure Sets, Hair Brushes, Mirrors, Trays, Powder Boxes, Hair Receivers, Travelling Cases, Photo Frames, Calendars, Etc.

EBONY—Toilet Cases, Manicure Sets, Ladies Hair Brushes, Mens' Military Brushes, Mirrors, Etc.

LEATHER GOODS—Hand Bags, Writing Cases, Purses, Bill Books, Tobacco Pouches, Collar Bags, Etc.

BRASS GOODS—Jardiniere, Fern Pots, Trays, Candle Sticks, Smoking Sets, Ash Trays, Etc.

BOOKS—The best of the new copyrights, Bibles, Poets, Etc.

CHILDREN'S BOOKS—We have the largest and best lines we have ever shown. It includes Picture Books for the wee tots, Nursery Rhymes, Bed Time Stories, and good story books for the older boys and girls.

TOYS AND GAMES—Our assortment this year is especially good, and includes many new ones, as well as all the old favorites. The new line of Canadian made wooden toys are just what you have been looking for. Strongly made in attractive designs.

DOLLS—Every girl will want a doll. We can supply them.

SAFETY RAZORS—FOUNTAIN PENS—TOILET ARTICLES OF ALL KINDS—PERFUME IN FANCY PACKAGES—STATIONERY IN XMAS WRAPPINGS—CALENDARS, SEALS, TAGS, CARDS, ETC.

CHOCOLATE—An absolutely fresh stock in fancy packaging at from 40c. up.

MOIR'S BULK CHOCOLATES—A fresh supply just received.

CHOCOLATE SPECIAL—Willard's Chocolates, regular 75c. Special 50c. per lb.
 In pounds and half pounds only.

The McDERMID DRUG CO. LTD
 D. A. LOTHIAN, Manager.

McLeod's

THE CASH STORES

McLeod's

LACOMBE CLIVE ALIX

A Cash Business Means Better Values

Dolls - Dolls
 35c. 75c. \$1.00

Regular Character Dolls—the varieties that invariably delight the little girls.

Two Beautiful Baby Dolls to be Given Away

Do your Christmas shopping here. You have a guess on the dolls with every 50 cent purchase.

Grocery Department

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Jap Oranges per box \$1.25
 Crisp white Celery 2 lbs. 25c.
 Large Red Cranberries per lb. 20c.
 Florida Grape Fruit 2 for 25c.
 Positively the finest Apples available are our B. C. McIntosh Red. Perfectly ripe, with all the goodness retained.
 Large Size Lemons per doz 60c.
 Fresh's Best Chocolates per lb. 65c.
 Mince meat in bulk or 5 lb. tins. A very fine quality, per lb. 17½c.
 New Figs per lb. 35c.
 Fresh Stock of candied Citron, Lemon and Orange Peel.
 New Shelled Nuts.

Beautiful Voile and Crepe de Chine Blouses in the Best Liked Styles of the Season. Plenty of Real Beauties to Choose From.

Voile Waists with round neck and clusters of fine tucks in front and back. Other styles with real Swiss Embroidered fronts.

Prices are from \$3.50 up.

Georgette and Crepe de Chine Waists in many new and lovely designs. Navy, Paddy, African Brown Brown and Black. Also the lighter shades in Flesh, Maize, Cream and Rose.

Prices are \$5.50 up.

The Handkerchief Display will Help Solve the Problem of What to Give. The Stock Shows the New Patterns in Many Qualities. Dainty Real Lace Trimming, Hand Embroidery and Plain Linen With Hem Stitching.

Pure Irish Handkerchiefs with narrow hem and hand worked initial, for women, three in a box 85c.
 Women's Embroidered Handkerchiefs, all white. A special at 2 for 25c.

Fancy Embroidered Handkerchiefs in sheer mull, lovely designs. Regular 25c., values, at 2 for 35c.
 Some of the best qualities are of sheer linen with hand work, at 50c. up.

Women's Thread Silk Hose

\$1.25 \$1.75 to \$2.50

Finest thread silk, full fashioned, heavy quality, very elastic double garter top, in Champagne, White, Black, Green, Grey, Etc.

Oriental Kimonos

Make acceptable gifts. These are made of Japanese Crepe, with embroidered trimming around front and sleeves, in Blue, Rose and Pink \$3.25

Men's Initial Handkerchiefs of real Irish Linen, hem stitched, each 50c.
 Men's fine quality cambric Handkerchiefs at 15c.

Men's Silk Socks

\$1.50.

All fine silk thread with clocking in contrasting shades.

Men's Fibre Silk Socks

75c. and 90c.
 In Plain Shades.

Men's Silk Mufflers

In Attractive designs.
 \$1.50 to \$3.50.

Men's Silk Ties

Stocks of them in all the newest patterns and popular shapes. You are sure to get suited from our stock.

50c. 75c., \$1.00 to \$1.50.

New Silks, Crepe de Chine and Wool Dress Goods

You will find variety and values to your liking in these stocks. Our prices on woolen dress goods are exceptionally low.

\$1.50, a special value offering of splendid quality Dress Goods, in a good variety of patterns. The widths are up to 50 inches.

Special at \$1.50 a yard

Guess the number of beans in the bottle and get a lovely Baby Doll.

House Slippers

Make Splendid gifts.
 Children's Plaid Slippers with buckle covered felt soles, per pair \$1.25
 Men's and Women's Plaid Slippers at \$1.25 and \$2.25

Women's Neckwear

Convenient for mailing to your friends. An unusually attractive showing.

Silk and Lace Camisoles

Dainty and useful gifts.

Boudoir Caps

Hand Made in pretty styles.

Barnett, Ave.

ARNOT & CO.

Lacombe, Alta.

Suggestions for Early 'Xmas Shopping

Numerous useful
and beautiful gifts
are here for your

INSPECTION



OUR LINE of
Xmas Gifts for
Women is now
COMPLETE

HANDKERCHIEFS IN ENDLESS VARIETY
SILK HOSIERY IN THE POPULAR SHADES
LOVELY WOOL SWEATER COATS IN PURE WOOL
YARNS

SKATING SETS—BRUSHED WOOL, IN A VARIETY OF
COLORS

WE Advise Early Buying

A Gift That is
Sure to Please

It is Both Elegant
and Useful



It is made from a specially fine quality calf leather in the popular mahogany shade. High top, Goodyear welt, leather soles and Louis heels. Sizes 3 to 6 per pair \$9.00



Good Things to
Eat—For the
XMAS
TABLE

Table Figs per package	15c.
Layer Figs per lb	35c.
Excelior Dates per package	25c.
Nabob Currants 1 lb. package	35c.
Royal Shield Currants, 15 oz. packages	30c.
Fancy Cleaned Currants, 12 oz. packages	25c.
Silver Bar Seeded Raisins, 12 oz. packages, 3 for	40c.
Gold Bar Seeded Raisins, 12 oz. packages, each	15c.
Nabob Seeded Raisins 1 lb. packages 2 for	35c.
Seedless Raisins, bulk per lb.	20c.
Griffin's Seedless Raisins 12 oz. packages 2 for	35c.
Sultana Raisins, bulk per lb	30c.
Lemon and Orange Peels per lb	35c.
Citron Peel per lb	50c.
Mixed Peels, Citron, orange, lemon per lb.	40c.
Queen Olives per bottle	25c.
Pimento Stuffed Olives, per bottles	25c.



THINGS
THAT
MEN
LIKE

FANCY SILK ARM BANDS
In Fancy Xmas Boxes, per pair 60c.
SURPENDERS
In Fancy Christmas Boxes, 60c. and
MEN'S FANCY NECKTIE SILK MUFFLERS 85c.
In Many Beautiful Patterns, Each
MEN'S KNITTED SILK MUFFLERS \$3.00
In White and Colors, each \$2.50
MEN'S FINE SHIRTS
A Splendid range of pretty and pleasing patterns to choose
from here \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.25



Men's
Neckties

Eventually you will choose a necktie as the most suitable gift
for him. Why not make your selection now from our new and
complete range, priced at 60c., 75c., 85c., and 90c.

Dr. Collier's

PUBLIC SALE

At his residence on Alberta Street
LACOMBE, Commencing at 1.30
o'clock, on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14th

Heintzman Player Piano. Best instrument of its kind made.
Oak Dining room Set, consisting of table and six chairs.
Four large Oak Rockers.
One Morris Chair.
Two dressers.
Two Iron Bedsteads
Kitchen Dining Room Set.
Two Oak Library Tables.
Sofa.
Three pairs springs and Mattresses.
One Malleable Range.
One small Cook stove.
Full line of cooking Utensils.
Refrigerator.
Several dozen fruit jars.

Garden Tools, Lawn Mower, and other articles too numerous
to mention.
TERMS CASH NO RESERVE

C. F. Damron

Auctioneer

Mrs. Cordelia Johnson's

Public Sale

One mile north and half a mile east of Olive, commencing at 10
o'clock on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17th

Span Bay Mares, Weight 3000 lbs. 10 and 11 years old.
Black Mare weight 1200, 8 years old.
Bay Gelding weight 1200, broken single or double.
Two two-year-olds, mare and gelding.
Four two-year-olds, mare and three geldings.
Two one-year-olds, geldings.
Three Sucking Colts, all mares.

FORD TOURING CAR

Only Run a Short Time and in first class shape.
Cutter, Buggy, Set Driving Harness, Single Harness, Cook Stove,
Heater, Table, Two Churns, Two bedsteads, Stand, Mattress,
Steel Gasoline Barrel, and Many other articles.
With reserve bid. Car used very little, and is in first class shape
NOTE—This is an administrator's sale of the property of the
late Mr. Johnson. Further particulars may be obtained from
the Auctioneer, or W. R. Johnson, Olive. Everything is to be
sold absolutely without reserve, except the Ford.

C. F. DAMRON.
TERMS CASH

AUCTIONEER
LUNCH AT NOON

Horse Estray
Strayed from near Bentley,
one dark buckskin gelding, about
5 years old, white face, weight
about 1050 lbs. Part of left ear cut
off. Finder notify John Benson,
Bentley, P. O. or phone, Jens Lar-
sen. Dec. 11-3p

Well Digging
If you want a good solid well, call
on Robert Hall Lacombe Alberta.
Experience well digger and water
locator. Get information at West-
ern Globe Office. D-11-4p.

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual general meeting of
the Central Alberta Exhibition
Association will be held in the
town hall, Lacombe, on Tuesday
December 24, 1918, at 2 p.m., for
the purpose of electing a new
board of Directors and transacting
other business that may properly
come before the meeting.
A. W. Sharp, President.
S. H. Welch, Sec. Treas.

Wanted
Wanted about 3000 bushels of
oats, and 100 head of stock hogs.
C. H. Whitworth, Bentley.

BOOTS and SHOES by AUCTION

The balance of L. Peterka's Stock of Men's and Boy's.

Boots and Shoes

will be sold by auction without reserve, on

Thursday, December 12

at 1.30 p.m. sharp, at Harringtons Store near Empress Hotel

Over 500 pairs to be sold

Also one kitchen Cabinet, Fur coat and Fur Cap Etc.
Do not miss this sale.

C. F. Damron. Auctioneer

The Ladies Aid of the Method-
ist Church have withdrawn their
annual tea and sale, previously an-
nounced, on account of precau-
tions deemed wise and necessary in
combating the epidemic. Instead
they are asking for an offering in
money to aid in meeting necessary
expenditure. Will all ladies favo-
rably disposed, either connected
with the church or others, kindly
put contributions in an envelope
addressed "For Ladies Aid" with
name of giver, and place on col-
lection plate, or give to Mrs. Rev.
Hollingsworth, or Mrs. E. L. Mis-
ner. The executive wishes to

thank in advance all who may
assist in this way.

Here's a new idea, and not a bad
one at that. Give the old folks
a pair of gold rimmed spectacles
this Christmas. What more use-
ful present could you give them.
We will supply you with the fran-
cibly disposed, either connected
with the church or others, kindly
put contributions in an envelope
addressed "For Ladies Aid" with
name of giver, and place on col-
lection plate, or give to Mrs. Rev.
Hollingsworth, or Mrs. E. L. Mis-
ner. The executive wishes to

See our prescription for getting
poor in another column. Jesse
Fraser, Agency.

Xmas Gifts

With Xmas near at hand, have you made your selection of gifts.

Remember that we carry a full and complete line in jewelry,
watches, clock silverware, cut glass, china and toilet articles in
white Ivory and ebony, come in and let us put away your
choice before it is too late.

All goods guaranteed as to quality and at the right prices.

PARSONS BROS.

Jewelers and Opticians
Issuers of Marriage Licenses

Gifts That Bear the True Ring of Friendship

Look Over This List

It may help you to reach a decision

For Ladies

Diamond Rings
Brooches Solid Gold or Gold Filled
Cut Glass
Silverware
Pyrex Casseroles
Wrist Watches
Watch Fobs
Self-filling Fountain Pens
Dresser Clocks
Belt Pins
Neckties
Lavalliers
Neck Chains
Lockets
Pendants.

For Gentlemen

Cuff Links
Watch Fobs
Gold Filled Chains
Tie Pins
Tie Clips
Shaving Mugs
Gillette Razors
Self-filling Fountain Pens
Nickle Clocks
Wallets
Signet Rings

PAUL HOTSON

Jeweler and Optician
Hotson Block

Issuer of Marriage Licenses
Lacombe Alberta

A. GILMOUR

Buy Your Meat for Winter Now
and get it at wholesale prices.

PRICES FOR THIS WEEK

No. 1 Front quarters per lb 12½c.
No. 1 Hind quarters per lb 16½c.
No. 1 Sides per lb 14½c.
Lard per lb 30c.
Dry Salt Pork per lb 30c.

LACOMBE,

ALBERTA

HOW TO GET POOR

The quickest and surest way to
become poor is to let your building
your grain and your stock go with-
out insurance. The savings of a
lifetime may be wiped out in an
hour. The Lacombe Farmers
Mutual offers the best in all lines.
Times or cash. Special rates on
grain.

The Jesse Fraser, Agency
Local Agency

Married man wanted. Separ-
ate house provided. Apply C. J.
Waldern, Lacombe. Dec. 11-c.

CITIZENS MEMORIAL

SERVICES

A memorial service for all sol-
diers in the Clive District who
have died in the Great War, will
be held in the Methodist Church,
Clive, on Sunday next, Dec. 15 at
7.30 p.m. Special music. Speak-
ers: The Rev. F. Allison, Mrs.
W. Allison, representing the Wo-
men's Institute and Red Cross So-
cieties, and Rev. J. G. Rogers. All
citizens are invited to attend, es-
pecially returned veterans and sol-
diers.

ESTRAY

IMPOUNDED

Red Bull about three years old, long horns; no visible brand; lump under jaw, was impounded in the pound kept by the undesignated at or near the Flour Mill, Barnett Avenue, Lacombe on the 28th day of October, 1918. D. Flewelling, Poundkeeper.

ESTRAY

2 year old light roan heifer, on left hip.

K

Terry Bros.
R. R. 3
Lacombe

STEER ESTRAY

Red yearling steer, branded as above on left hip. Finder please notify Slaughter and Son, Bentley, Alberta. D-4-1fc

ESTRAY

On premises of J. W. Wiltzie, S. W. 1/4 of Sec. 30-41-25, wt. 2 1/2 miles south east of Morningside. A high grade Hereford steer, 2 years old, red, with white face, belly and legs, red ears, dehorned. W. R. Winslow, Brand Reader.

ESTRAY

One light bay two-year-old filly; one white foot; large white spot in forehead and white spot on nose; black mane and tail. Seen in this neighborhood since April. Apply J. E. Wilson, Lockhart, Alta. N27-3p

2-Year-Old Steer Estray

Red with white face, branded H9 with half diamond over, on right ribs. Finder please notify F. May and Sons, Chigwell, Phone 1008. Nov. 20-3p.

Steers and Mare Estray

At our place, 2 3-year-old dark red steers, dehorned, branded SS with quarter circle (points down) under, on right hip; also dark bay 3 year old mare, white on both hind feet, small star in face, (been on range for past year). Apply to Young Bros., phone R113, Lacombe. N27-3p.

ESTRAY

On farm of D. Foren, N. E. 4-41-25, red and white dehorned cow with male calf at side. White on face; belly, no visible brand. JAS. TEES, Brand Reader. D11-3p.

ESTRAY

A one year old red bull, dark, with horns, small, no brand, is at my place. Apply to Clarence Riddle, 8 3/4 34-1-1, w5, Bentley P. O. D11-3p.

Heifer Estray

Red Heifer, little white on 2 front legs, and white on one hind leg. White star in forehead, piece out of lower side of left ear; about 3 years old. Owner apply to G. McDonald, Lacombe, (3 miles west and half a mile south.)

ESTRAY

At my place half a mile west, 5 1/2 miles south of Clive, cow not branded. Owner may have same by proving property. Describe animal by horns, tail and color. James Hawkins, Clive. D11-3p.

FOR SALE

Cattle For Sale

I have for sale at my place, fourteen head purebred registered shorthorn cows, all in calf to American Marquis, grandson of Gainford Marquis. These animals will be sold at about half original prices. Apply to A. H. Bolton, (old Patrick place) 5 miles S. E. of Lacombe, P. O. Box 215.

House for Sale

Most desirable residence; new; 26x36; concrete foundation; six large rooms and pantry; built on lot 50x220 feet in a splendid location in Lacombe; good water; is offered for sale at \$1450.00. This is a snap and is only open for a short time. If you are interested write or call at Western Globe Office.

O.I.C. Hogs For Sale

Yearling O.I.C. boar for sale, bred by the L. B. Silver, Co. of Cleveland Ohio. A guaranteed stock getter; also two other fall yearlings by an imported boar; Papers furnished Apply G. E. White, Lacombe.

FOR SALE

25 laying hens. Price \$1.00 each. Apply to I. Cannon, Lacombe. N30c.

A LETTER FROM THE BOYS

Earl Halpin writes as follows of the great celebration in England when the armistice was signed. He was at Seaford and his letter is dated Nov. 12.

"Well, well, it is all over, and we can hardly believe it yet. We are afraid that we will wake up and find out that we have been dreaming. But at any rate, we will soon have to believe it. Talk about excitement. Everyone has gone crazy, and all drill etc. is at a standstill. On the 11th everything was going on as usual, when all of a sudden an airplane swooped down out of the clouds, and dropped a dispatch at Brigade Headquarters to the effect that the armistice had been signed. You should have heard the cheering. Everything stopped. The troops and officers ran around like wild men, and all the bands were brought out and they played for hours. Orders were issued that the troops could do as they pleased, and they sure did. At night the beacons that were used by the ancient Britons to spread the news of victory, were lit one after the other all along the coast. The coast guard batteries opened and fired salvoes across the channel, and all search lights were brought into play. The anti-aircraft batteries fired up parachute flares that lit up the channel for miles, and the battleships in the harbor flashed their searchlights all over the coast and towns. All night long the drone of bag-pipes could be heard, while the battalion bands marched all over the different Reserves playing 'O Canada,' etc. The engineers fired up S.O.S. rockets, and V.I. lights for hours. The blinds were taken off all windows, and the paint was scraped off the street lights for the first time in four years. Bands of children beating drums and waving flags marched through the town, while overhead our airplanes were doing stunts all illuminated with colored lights. Such a day—"

and they say London celebrated on a scale a hundred times larger. Everyone seems stunned now and we can hardly believe that all is over, and after the first burst of excitement had died away things were very quiet, as we turned our memories to the boys—our pals—who won't come back to claim their share in the victory, and then it does not seem to us to be such a great victory after all.

"Dad" Home is here as late as life, also John MacDonald, Harry Bullock, Jack Jones (M.M.), Grover Calkins, Bill Kent, and "Jumbo" Crocker. We have no idea how long it will be before we get back, but I think it will be within six months. They are starting schools now for soldiers and doing away with all drills, so that it will be a lot easier this winter. I wish I could get back for Christmas, but I guess I can't.

Harry Ritz is going strong. Believe me Harry has worked hard and everyone of us admire the way he went about his work and the good work he has done as a Brigade runner. He and poor Fry certainly did their share, and all the fighting men appreciate what they have done. Dr. Shute is often over here. I think we are going to demobilize in France, so we will probably be off for there in a few days, and the sooner the better. I think we go to a big demobilization camp at La Harve or Etaples, and maybe will join our old battalion I hope so as I'd like to go back with the old signal section. We lost 28 signallers out of 38. Gee, this is a rotten camp—about 75 below this morning with a wind off the channel that would make a Manitoba blizzard feel like a Chinook. Never mind, we'll soon be on our way back to the CHINOOKS, and I only wish I could be back for Christmas.

Unselfish Mother's Answer to Edwin Markam

God gave my son in trust to me; Christ died for him, and he should be a man for Christ. He is his own, And God's and man's not mine alone.

He was not mine to "give" He gave Himself that he might help to save All that a Christian might reverse. All that enlightened men held dear.

"To feed the guns?" Oh, tortoise soul! Awake and see life as a whole, When freedom, honor, justice, right

He bravely went for God to fight Against base savages whose pride The laws of God and Man defied. Who slew the mother and her child.

Who maidens pure and sweet defiled, He did not go to "feed the guns," He went to save from ruthless Hun.

His home and country and to be A guardian of democracy. "What if he does not come?" you say;

Ah, well! My sky would be more gray; But through the clouds the sun would shine.

And vital memories be mine, God's test of manhood is I know, Not "will he come?" but "did he go?"

My son well knew that he might die, And yet he went with purpose high, To fight for peace and overthrow The plans of Christ's relentless foe.

He dreamed not he battlefield, He went to make fierce vandals yield, If he comes not again to me I shall be sad; but not that he Went like a man—a hero true—

My heart will feel exultant pride That for humanity he died, "Forgotten grave!" This selfish plea

Awakes no deep response from me For, though his grave I may not see My boy will ne'er forgotten be.

My real son can never die; 'Tis but his body that may lie In foreign land, and I shall keep Remembrance fond, forever dear, Within my heart of my true son Because of triumphs that he won It matters not where any one May lie and sleep when work is done.

It matters not where, some men live, If my dear son his life must give, Hosannas I will sing for him, E'en though my eyes with tears be dim.

And when the war is over, when His gallant comrades come again, I'll cheer them as they're marching by, Rejoicing that they did not die.

And when the vacant place I see, My heart will bound with joy that he

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WAR-SAVINGS STAMPS

The Canadian Government offers interest-bearing War-Savings Stamps

Issue of 1919—Payable Jan. 1, 1924

ORDER-IN-COUNCIL P.C. No. 2462 authorizes the issue of War-Savings Stamps for the purpose of assisting in the financing of Government expenditures.

As Sir Thomas White, Minister of Finance, points out, W.-S. S. will provide "an excellent investment for small savings; and a strong incentive to every-day economy."

\$5.00 for \$4.00

Until January 31st, 1919, War-Savings Stamps will be sold by all Money-Order Post Offices, Banks, and other authorized Agencies, for \$4.00 each, and on January 1st, 1924, Canada will pay \$5.00 each for them.

Registration Against Loss

A Certificate is provided for the purchaser of a W.-S. S. On the certificate are spaces to which 10 W.-S. S. may be affixed. A certificate bearing one or more W.-S. S. may be registered at any Money-Order Post Office, fully protecting the owner against loss by fire, burglary or other cause.

The Certificate also shows the Cash Surrender Value of W.-S. S. at various dates before maturity.

SOLD WHEREVER THIS



SIGN IS DISPLAYED

Cash Auction Sale

Favored with instructions from Messrs. O. D. Fitch & Son, of Leslieville, I will sell by public auction at their farm, the N.E.-17-40-5 wt, six miles N. W. of Leslieville, sixteen miles northwest of Eckville, all their farm stock and implements, Household Furniture, etc., on

Tuesday, December 17

Sale at 10 o'clock sharp—No reserve.—Lunch at Noon.

100 HEAD OF STOCK

CATTLE

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Set of 3 chairs and rocker, leather bottoms, in 1/4 cut oak; Morris chair, arm chair, 6 dining chairs, rocker, buffet, 5 ft extension table, 2 centre table, 2 cook table, 1 1/3 octave piano case Estey Organ with stool; 1 cut oak bedroom suit, combination dresser & washstand, 1/4 cut oak; solid brass bedstead, spring and mattress; 2 iron beds, springs and mattresses; Goodrich sewing machine, nearly new; 2 high chairs; toilet set, hall glass, FireCo steel range, splendid heating stove, 8 gal churn, washboard, 1900 washing machine, boiler, Rochester lamp, Aladdin lamp, 2 bracket lamps, stand lamp, baby buggy, 25 yards of carpet, wool, Savage 22 rifle, dishes, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

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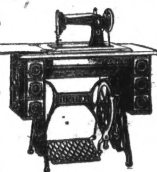
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Municipal District of Crown No. 399

Lacombe, Alta Dec. 2nd 1918

The council of the above district met in the Adelphi Hotel at which Councilors, Sage, McLennan, Gibson, Rainforth, Lockerby, and Douglas were present.

Sage That minutes of previous meeting be allowed to stand as read. Carried.

Gibson That the taxes on N. W. and S. E. 1/4 S. 1/4 W. 12-10-25 be allowed to stand as they are. Carried.

McLennan That the acreage on N. E. 1/4 23-39-27-w4 be charged at 80 acres on the assessment roll.

Sage That secretary be instructed to forward subscription fee of Ten dollars to Alberta Association of Municipal Districts. Carried.

Sage That Auditor's report of October 24th, 1918 be accepted as read. Carried.

Sage That Division A be voted an appropriation of \$2000.00 for current expenses.

Gibson That each division of this council be charged with the cost of administration according to the assessment of land in each division. Carried.

Gibson Whereas on the readjustment of the auditors report of 1917, made Oct. 1st 1918 it was found by the Provincial auditor that the books of Municipal district of Crown No. 399 were correct and that the auditors report issued in 1917 was incorrect. Therefore be it resolved that this council exonerate E. W. Simpson from all blame in the matter. Carried.

Sage That secretary be instructed to notify all parties that procured seed grain to the effect that the notes are now due and must be paid at once. Carried.

Sage That Reeve and Treasurer be instructed to arrange for the renewal of part of the note due Dec. 10th 1918.

Sage That the following Accounts to be passed and ordered paid.

Atlas Lumber Comp	\$60.50
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Wm. Tees	25.00
Wm. Tees	10.00
A. Ledingham	28.00
T. Thorp	7.00
A. McPetridge	7.00
Miss J. Unwin	7.00
Mrs. Taylor	25.00
Morrison and Johnston	3.61
Morrison and Johnston	2.30
Morrison and Johnston	6.40
McCormick Comp.	47.64
J. D. Adams and Co.	769.70
A. M. Campbell	2.65
Lacombe Town	20.06
W. W. Rutledge	137.50
W. W. Rutledge	7.00
John Russell	2.00
W. Ritson	51.57
J. B. Crooker	1.53
Western Man News	6.00
H. J. Wells Comp.	23.65
J. H. Dentman	1.80
Trimble and Garland	36.70
G. J. Doherty	7.00
L. A. Hill	50.15
Total	\$131.81

Carried.
Sage That the board of health of above Municipal district communicate with the minister of public health re-enforcement of wearing of masks in this M. D. Carried.

Gibson That the following labour pay sheets amounting to \$3494.75 be passed, the reeve authorized to sign and treasurer instructed to pay same. Carried.

Sage That meeting adjourn to Saturday Dec. 21st at 10 o'clock. Carried.

E. Walter Simpson, Sec-Treas. Municipal district of Crown No. 399.

Born

Waldren—At Lacombe on Thursday December 5th, 1918 to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Waldren a daughter.

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Saturday the 21st day of December, 1918, at two o'clock in the afternoon, the following property:

The North Forty acres of the South West quarter of Section Twenty-three (23), Township Forty-One (41), Range Twenty-six (26), West of the Fourth Meridian in the Province of Alberta, excepting thereout all coal.

The property is situated two miles from the Village of Morning-side, where there is a store, Elevator, Post Office, School, Church, and etc. The land is fenced with three barbed-wires and posts. The soil is black sandy loam with brown clay sub-soil. There are sixteen acres under cultivation, with twenty acres prairie and four acres scrub. The land is watered by a small spring chert.

The property is offered for sale subject to all exceptions, reservations and conditions in the original grant from the Crown and in the existing certificate of title, and subject to a reserve bid which has been fixed by a Judge of the district court of the District of Red Deer.

Terms of payment are 10 per cent. of the purchase price to be paid to the Vendor's solicitor at the time of the sale and the balance to be paid into court to the credit of this action within Sixty days of the said sale without interest. In all other particulars the terms and conditions of sale will be the standing conditions of sale of the Supreme Court of Alberta.

For further particulars apply to Clarence F. Dameron, Esq., Auctioneer, Bentley, or to Edwin H. Jones, Barrister, Lacombe, Alberta.

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Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the said Henry Thomas Bell who died on the 29th day of August, 1918, are required to file with the undersigned Administrator of his Estate by the first day of January, 1919 a full statement duly verified, of their claims and

any securities held by them, and that after that date the Administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or brought to his knowledge.

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DAVID HAY --The Men's Store

Bentley News Notes

Well, how did you like the look of that page last week? Compared with the past it made one think that Bentley had at last grown old enough to kick off knickerbockers and put on real trousers. Our chief business now will be to stay with the job as if we really were big enough to carry it through. The question is are we. If this is going to be the Bentley Bulletin in real earnest some of us will have to waken up. Last week we had two columns of advertising and two columns of news. The other two columns had to be filled with outside stuff. We have fifteen going business concerns in our village. We had only five of them in our advertising columns. Everyone from now on should make it a point to remind those concerns that we missed their advertisement in the paper, and also not to forget to patronize as far as possible those who do advertise. The publisher has promised us the other side of the page if we need it.

We want more news of course. If I had time to go and come on every train and stop every auto, I could glean a full page of news every week. The other day I was on the train and I got six of the following news items, and I am sure I would not have had one of them for this issue if I had not been there. So come along, let's fall over the side of this page on to the other side. Phone R. 314 any day of the week with a news item and look for it in the next issue of the paper. Remember Monday noon is the latest we can take news to get into the paper that week.

The time has again arrived to pack a box of good things for the Red Cross Convalescent Hospital, Ogden, Calgary. We want this to be a Christmas box so we must act quickly. Saturday, Dec. 14 and Monday Dec. 16th will be donation days. We want chickens, turkeys, geese, ducks, pork, beef, mutton, butter, baking, or anything, else that can be shipped without being spoiled by freezing. Eggs are also acceptable and will be shipped by express. All the poultry should be dressed of course. Some one suggested that we send a box of Mince pies. Wouldn't that be nice? Fruit cake and cookies will carry well too. We will make our headquarters at the parsonage as there is plenty of room in the club room to store and pack. If you cannot come in on Saturday or Monday, call up and we will see that it is called for. Let us send a bumper box this time.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Young and Miss Young moved into town last week, and are staying in the Shaver house until their own residence is completed.
Mr. Williams, freighter from Rimbey, has been ill with influenza at Mrs. Bullock's.
Mr. John Dane returned from the hospital last week and is slowly convalescing.
Mrs. Philo Slaughter who has been nursing her daughter in Edmonton, returned on Thursday.
Miss Laura Grimes, of Griffin Sask. has arrived.
Sask. has arrived to spend a few months with her sister, Mrs. Paul Evernden.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Loberg, and daughter Thelma of Great Falls, Montana, arrived on Thursday to visit Mrs. Loberg's parents Mr. and Mrs. (Rev.) Eric Johnson. Mr. Loberg is an engineer

on the Great Northern R.R. in Montana.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Siler, with their family have left for Portland Oregon, where they will spend the winter. We are sorry to see them leave the community and expect they will find nothing quite so good as the Blindman Valley. We will be ready to welcome them back when they find this out.

The marriage took place on Friday at the parsonage, Bentley, of Mr. George Harold Rorick and Miss Eddelina Seibel both of the Bentley district. They will reside north west of Bentley across the Valley. We wish them long life and much happiness.

Mr. H. W. Birch returned from the hospital on Thursday. She is slowly improving.

Mr. Thomas Court who has been visiting his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Francis Court for the past few months, left on Saturday for Waterloo, Iowa, where he will visit his son. He was accompanied as far as Calgary by Mr. E. J. Nelson.

Miss Ethel Bligh of the Post office, Lacombe, spent the week end at home.

Rev. Geo. Driver of Fort Saskatchewan visited with friends over the week end.

Mr. Kenneth Dane happened with a most unfortunate accident on Sunday. Whilst driving some of the horses away from the barn one of them wheeled and suddenly kicked at him, the blow came on the face leaving a deep gash over one eye and across the nose. He was unconscious for some time but finally came to enough to drag himself to the house. This accident comes doubly hard with Mr. Dane lying helpless in bed himself.

Mr. Bert de Groff and Mr. Kenneth Sweetman were away on a moose hunt last week. At the time of writing we have not heard what luck they have had.

Billy Beddoes is spending a few days at Lockhart attending to his business interests.

Miss Annie Thompson has returned to Eyremore, Southern Alberta to resume teaching.

Mr. Geo. Bigham is able to be out and around after his long siege in the sick room. George is one of the few who knows what influenza really is.

Mr. Harry Brownlow is treating his cottage at the lake with a new coat of paper and siding.

When finished it will be the nicest on the Bentley Beach.
Mr. Philo Slaughter, has begun the erection of a large up-to-date barn. Mr. Snow has the contract.

Mr. Ralph Craig has been secured to assist in the busy Co-Operative store.

Mr. Frank Thorps trip to Calgary did not agree with him very well. He speaks now as if he had some hot plums or marbles in his mouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Osgood left on Tuesday afternoon for Rochester, Minn, where Mrs. Osgood will undergo an operation at the hands of the Mayo Bros. Everyone joins in wishing a safe journey and a successful operation.

Word was received recently by his sister Doris from Geoffrey Taylor in a prison camp in Germany. He reported being in good health. We shall hope to hear of him soon from a more congenial environment.

Mr. A. A. Munro, an old timer in these parts is in the Valley renewing acquaintances.

Mr. B. Harkness, fur dealer of Calgary was in town on business

Mrs. A. Wengatz' PUBLIC SALE

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19th.

Black Horse, Aged 7 years.
Black Horse, Aged 8 years.
Bay Horse Aged 4 years.
Bay Horse aged 12 years.
Bay Horse nine years old.
1 Horse aged 16 years.

Two Milk Cows.

Nine Calves.

Six Heifers.

Four Steers.

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About thirty-five head 2 Pure blood Wyandotte Roosters.

A Lot of Hay, Some Straw and Green Feed.

Fairchild Wagon, Single Buggy, Breaking Plow, New Hamilton Gang Plow, Coochhutt Plow, Two Sets Harrows, Deering Binder, new; Fountain City Grain Drill, New Fanning Mill, Waterloo Boy Engine and Pump Jack, Harness, Spades, Forks and other articles; Hay Rack, Mowing Machine, Sleigh, Split Wood.

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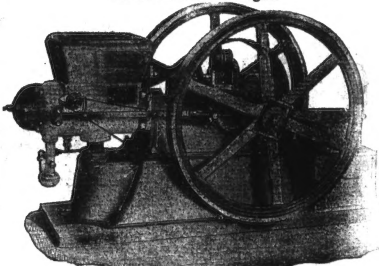
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this week. He offended one of our young ladies by offering her the hide of her dear cat. Well!! the idea.

Mr. Ray Slaughter is nursing a sore foot these days, it having been punctured with a nail.

Mr. J. R. Hutton and sons are erecting a house on their land east of town. This will save a lot of time going back and forth when the spring work begins and will make fine bachelor quarters.

The Mountons, the Challands and the Shoups are the latest victims of the influenza. Irvine Palmer hasn't made up his mind whether to have it or not.

Letters are just beginning to arrive from England bearing news of the armistice. One lad who has been overseas over a year and a half, writing the afternoon of the 11th of Nov. says "I guess London has gone bugs this afternoon, talk about your noises, bombs playing cheering, whistles, bell-ringing and guns firing and to put the finishing touches on it started to rain pitch forks and box cars." Two other letters reporting that the roar of the cheering could be heard ten miles away. When the first report came through the people climbed to the top of a high building to see and hear. Flags seemed to rise up en masse. Every nationality of the Allies being, of course in evidence. Church bells were heard for the first time in many days and Big Ben tolled the hours for the first time in two and a half years. They are having their own time with the influenza epidemic over there. One party reports half the stores closed for lack of assistance owing to the disease.

Only two weeks until Xmas and what about a Christmas tree? It is quite impossible to practice for any ordered programme. Every boy and girl and many of the older ones might learn a suitable recitation or song and if it is impossible to get together we can have an old fashioned good time around the Christmas tree.

Before I begin to stop, I must tell you what I heard this morn-

ing. I was in a certain business house, I asked a certain gentleman had he seen the Bentley Bulletin. He replied that he had and that was how he knew this particular business house had opened up. And think of it, this merchant did not have an ad. on these pages I turned to the Manager and told him pretty soon we were going to cease carrying free ads in the news columns, so there you are. Next!

The annual meeting for the nomination of Councillors for the village of Bentley will be held at the meat market on Monday evening Dec. 16th at 8 p.m. The present councillors are P. E. Thorp, P. P. Dameron and Geo. Garries. These retire and of course are eligible for office again. Too often the elders of a village are very indifferents in these matters and when this is the case it is unfortunate. Everyone who has should exercise their franchise and become interested in the civic affairs of their community. We ought to have a live council this year because we are growing and will need considerable attention municipally if we are going to grow in the right direction. The election, if more than three are nominated, will be held, I believe on the following Monday.

NOTICE

Lacombe flour mill is running every day on flour and chop. Bring along your wheat and have your flour made. We can save you one dollar and fifty cents on every hundred pounds. We can also make a high grade rye flour.
D. M. Reeves.

Steer Estray

At our place, Red Yearling, no brand, cut on left ear. Apple to Kananewasser and Lage, Lacombe, 6 miles north of town. Dec. 11-13

Heifer Lost

A red and white yearling heifer, has been deborned, and has a tag with name on right ear, also has tips of both ears cut off. Write A. G. Erskine, Blackfins, R.1. Dec. 11-2p

NOT THE CHEAPEST BUT
THE BEST

Jap Oranges per box	\$1.25
Large Lemons per doz	60c.
Good Table Oranges per doz	70c.
Table Figs per lb	35c.
Fine Apple Peel, per ring	10c.
Tiger Salmon per can	35c.
Oyster Crackers per lb	25c.
Cranberries per lb	20c.
Invalid Port per bottle	1.50



CHRISTMAS FARE

New Nuts, per lb.	35c.
Ganong's Peppermint Cream per box	30c.
Honey per bottle	45c.
Ice Cream Powder	15c.
Limeade, bottle	45c.
Oowan's Maple Buds	10c.
Special quotations for Christmas Treats. Prices on application.	

TREAT YOURSELF TO A MOTOR RUG

Heavy wool plush motor rugs 46 x 66 inches
At only \$6.00 each

PILLOW FORMS

Well filled and covered with strong art ticking
size 17 x 22

85c. each

TAPESTRY TABLE COVERS

Brown and Red

Size 54 x 54	\$2.50
Size 36 x 36	\$1.25
Size 66 x 66	\$3.75

WHAT ABOUT A SWEATER FOR XMAS?

Ladies' Sweaters in good range of colors, plain or fancy knit. Priced from \$3.15 to \$10.00 each.

MEN'S SWEATERS

In a good variety of shades
From \$3.25 to \$9.00

BOY'S PLAIN AND FANCY SWEATERS

From \$1.50 to \$9.00

MEN'S BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S WOOL
PULLOVER SWEATERS

Good Range of Colors.
\$2.50 to \$3.75

XMAS HANDKERCHIEFS TO SUIT EVERYONE

Single Handkerchiefs from 5c. to 50c.

Boxes of from 2 to 5 handkerchiefs from 25c. to \$1.00

A very special line this week at 15c., or 2 for 25c.

Buckskin Moccasins and
Slippers

Just Received

Large shipment of Men's, Boys', and Children's
GENUINE TAN BUCKSKIN MOCCASINS
AND SLIPPERS

SPECIALLY WELL MADE, SUPERIOR QUALITY
GOOD VALUES

Men's Half leg Moccasins, all buckskin, hand sewn, sizes 7 to 11	\$3.75
Men's fancy Vamp Buck Moccasins, sizes 7 to 11	\$2.75
Boys' Half leg Moccasins, hand sewn sizes 1 to 6	\$3.00
Men's 4 eye-let, hand sewn Moccasins, sizes 7 to 11	\$3.00
Hand Sewn Moccasins, suitable for ladies or boys, size 1 to 6	\$2.50
Machine sewn Moccasins, as above	\$2.35
Misses' and Youths' hand sewn and machine sewn moccasins, all sizes	\$1.90 and \$2.00
Child's Hand Sewn Moccasins, sizes 7 to 10	\$1.50
Infants' Fancy Moccasins, sizes 3 to 6	\$1.00
Men's Buck Fringed Slippers	\$2.00
Ladies or Boys' Buck Fringed Slippers	\$1.60
Misses' or Youths' Buck Fringed Slippers	\$1.35
Child's Buck Fringed Slippers	\$1.00
Infants' Buck Fringed Slippers	70c.

LADIES' MOTOR BONNETS

Smart new styles in velvet.
\$2.50 Each

And they come in pretty shades of rose, myrtle, grey, navy, blue and light green.

SPATS

We are showing a nice line of warm felt spats,
In black at \$1.25
Fawn at \$2.25
White at \$2.50

LITTLE DAISY PURE WOOL HOSIERY

For children, in cream, cardinal and black. Sizes 4 to 7½

65c. to 90c. a pair

HOLEPROOF SILK HOSIERY

An ideal Xmas gift for mother, Sister, Wife or Sweetheart. Colors, black, champagne, white or brown.

MEN'S HOLEPROOF SILK SOCK

In White, Black, Champagne, Brown, and Pearl
75c., 85c., \$1.00

MEN'S NECKTIES

Splendid assortment

At 35c., 60c., 75c., \$1.00

MEN'S MUFLERS

From \$1.50 up

REDUCED MILLINERY

All our hats and trimmings must clear. We are offering you these wonderful bargains of the latest trimmed hats, for
HALF PRICE OR LESS

Dispersion Sale of Angus Cattle!

You are cordially invited to attend Mr. McCullough's Aberdeen Angus Dispersion sale, to be held at his farm, one mile north of Blackfalds Alberta, on

Wednesday, December 18th

For this sale Mr. McCullough has listed his entire herd of Angus cattle, consisting of:
12 head of Breeding Cows, ranging in age from 3 to 8 years.
11 of which have calves at side.
5 Two-year-old Heifers.
3 Yearling Heifers.

Also his herd bull "Elm Park Rambler" No. 10875, bred by James Bowman of Guelph, Ont. This is one of the best young Angus Bulls in Western Canada today, and every cow and heifer of breeding age in this sale is safe in calf to his service.

Mr. McCullough has been a breeder of Angus cattle for the past six years, and during that time he has used nothing but the best Angus bulls at the head of his herd. His previous herd bull "Glencarnock Guard" was bred by Jas. D. McGregor, and practically all the cows and heifers offered at this sale were sired by this bull.

This is undoubtedly the one of the best herds of Angus cattle in Western Canada today, and every female of breeding age is guaranteed a breeder. If you are interested in good Angus cattle, arrange to attend this sale.

South bound train arrives in Blackfalds at 12 noon; north-bound train arrives at 1 o'clock. Free conveyance provided from station to the sale.

J. G. McCullough, Owner.

All stock purchased at the sale will be loaded on cars at Blackfalds free of charge. Catalogues on day of sale. Terms cash unless otherwise arranged. Lunch provided.

Also Grade Cattle, Implements, Etc.

Team Bay Horses, mare and Gelding, 5 years old, weight 2500.
Team Greys, mare and Gelding, 5 years old, weight 2800.
Bay Gelding 7 years old, weight 1100.
One Colt.
5 head of high grade Angus calves.
6 Choice Milch Cows.
3 Pure bred Duroc Jersey gilts, registered.
4 Stacks choice green feed.
3 sets of harness.
2 hob-sleighs.
Stock Saddle.

A quantity of household goods and other articles comprising Stoves, Beds, Springs and Mattresses, Tables, Chairs, Bedroom Suite, Churn, New Century Washer and Wringer, Milk and Cream cans, Cream Separator, etc.

The sale of grade cattle, horses, etc., will commence at 11 o'clock, sharp. Pure bred Cattle sale starts at 1:30 prompt.

NOTE—Owing to the fact that Mr. McCullough has sold his farm to J. Laing of Lacombe, everything listed will be sold absolutely without reserve. The list comprises one of the best herds of pure-bred Angus cattle of Alberta today, and breeders of Angus Cattle are very cordially invited to attend this sale. An excellent opportunity for the farmers and stockmen of this district to lay the foundation for a superior herd of pure-bred Angus cattle. Arrange to attend.

C. F. Damron, Auctioneer

Ed. Burke's
PUBLIC SALE

At his place N. half 3-40-26, two miles east and five miles south of Lacombe, commencing at 11 o'clock on

Monday, December 16th.

Bay Mare 9 years old, weight 1100.
Roan Mare 5 years old, weight 1250.
Roan Gelding 4 years old, weight 1250.
Bay Mare 6 years old, weight 1200.
Pair Matched Cream Drivers, mare and gelding 4 and 5 years old, weight 2200.
Sorrel Mare 11 years old, weight 1250.
Roan Mare 10 years old, weight 1000.
Sorrel Mare 12 years old weight 1000.
Five Spring Colts (three Heavy).
Saddle Pony 9 years old.

7 Good Milch Cows, mostly fresh in March.
9 Young Stock Cows.

22 Yearlings.

4 two-year-olds.

9 Calves.

1 Pure-Bred Shorthorn Bull. 1 year old.

60 Chickens, all pullets; 6 Turkeys.

Massey-Harris Binder in good repair, 6 foot; New John Deere Mower, John Deere Rake, McCormick Disc Drill, Massey-Harris Packer, 12 3 Section Iron Harrow, and Cart; Oliver Gang Plow, 16 inch Bulky Plow with breaker bottom, 14 inch walking Plow, Cultivator, 2 Lumber Wagons, 3/4, in good repair; Chatham Fanning Mill, Platform Scales, Hay Shacker, and Sweep, (new), Set bob sleighs, 3 sets Heavy Harness, 1 Set of Light Harness, Grind Stone, 4 cutter runners, Forks, Shovels, Post Hole Augur Tools of all kinds; Chains, etc.

Heating Stove, Washing Machine, Wringer, Couch, and other Household Furniture.

1917 Overland Car in good order.

Farm also for sale.

C. F. DAMRON, - AUCTIONEER

TERMS—Sums under \$25.00 cash. Over \$25.00 12 months time will be given on approved joint bankable notes with interest at 8 per cent. 5 per cent. off for cash over \$25.00.

LUNCH AT NOON

A Narrow Escape

Old Hooke says Bill Baillie was not far out when he told about the dream and his going to heaven in his Maxwell, in Bad Land news last week. He says he nearly took a trip for the unknown the day the paper was printed. One in company with Ernest Shortt, were on their way from Calgary to a brand new Maxwell, and during

the snowstorm lost their way in Rosebud valley. They were going along nicely when the car started down a hill, and the emergency brakes and everything else there is on a Maxwell to make it safe, were put on, and the car brought to a standstill. They got out and discovered that 2 wheels of the car were right over a cut bank from which they would have dropped fifty feet had they gone

two feet farther. They got planks and steadied the car until a team came along, and pulled them away from danger. Ole says the first thing they did was to hold a little prayer meeting on the prairie, at which Ernest led, after which they took up the collection and started homeward.

Don't try to make yourself better by knocking someone else.

In the recent examinations in school some of the answers were very clever, if not entirely right. We are told of one boy who wrote down an answer to the question, "Name six animals found in the Arctic Circle." "Three Polar bears and three Seals." Another wrote that a net was a bunch of holes tied together with string.